State of South Dakota

SEVENTY-SEVENTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2002

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Introduced by: The Committee on Judiciary at the request of the Department of Social Services

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to modify certain requirements for service of notice of entry
- 2 in an action involving abuse or neglect.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 26-8A-28 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 26-8A-28. Notice of entry of order of adjudication or final decree of disposition issued by
- 6 the court in any action involving an abused or neglected child shall be served on the child's
- 7 attorney and the child's guardian ad litem or special advocate, if any, and on all respondent
- 8 parents and other respondent parties in the same manner as service of the summons in the action
- 9 as provided in § 26-7A-47. The notice of entry may be served by publication in the same manner
- as service of the summons in the action as provided in §§ 26-7A-47 and § 26-7A-48. If the
- 11 notice of entry is served by publication, the service is completed five days after the date of
- publication. The time for appeal from any final decree of disposition begins commences on the
- day following the date of completed service of the notice of entry regardless of the manner in
- which the notice of entry is served.